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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the matter of

U.S. National Phase Entry :  
Under 35 U.S.C. 371 from :  
The International Application of: :  
Applicants: WOO, Ricky, et al. :  
Int'l App. No. PCT/US99/27317 : Group Art Unit  
Filed in the RO/US on 18 November 1999 : Examiner  
Title: IMPROVED UNCOMPLEXED :  
CYCLODEXTRIN COMPOSITIONS FOR :  
ODOR CONTROL :

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Box PCT  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Before calculating the filing fee, please cancel Claims 1-15 without prejudice and  
enter the following New Claims 16-45:

16. (New) A stable, aqueous odor-absorbing composition comprising:  
(A) an effective amount to absorb malodors of solubilized, uncomplexed cyclodextrin;

*[Handwritten Signature]*